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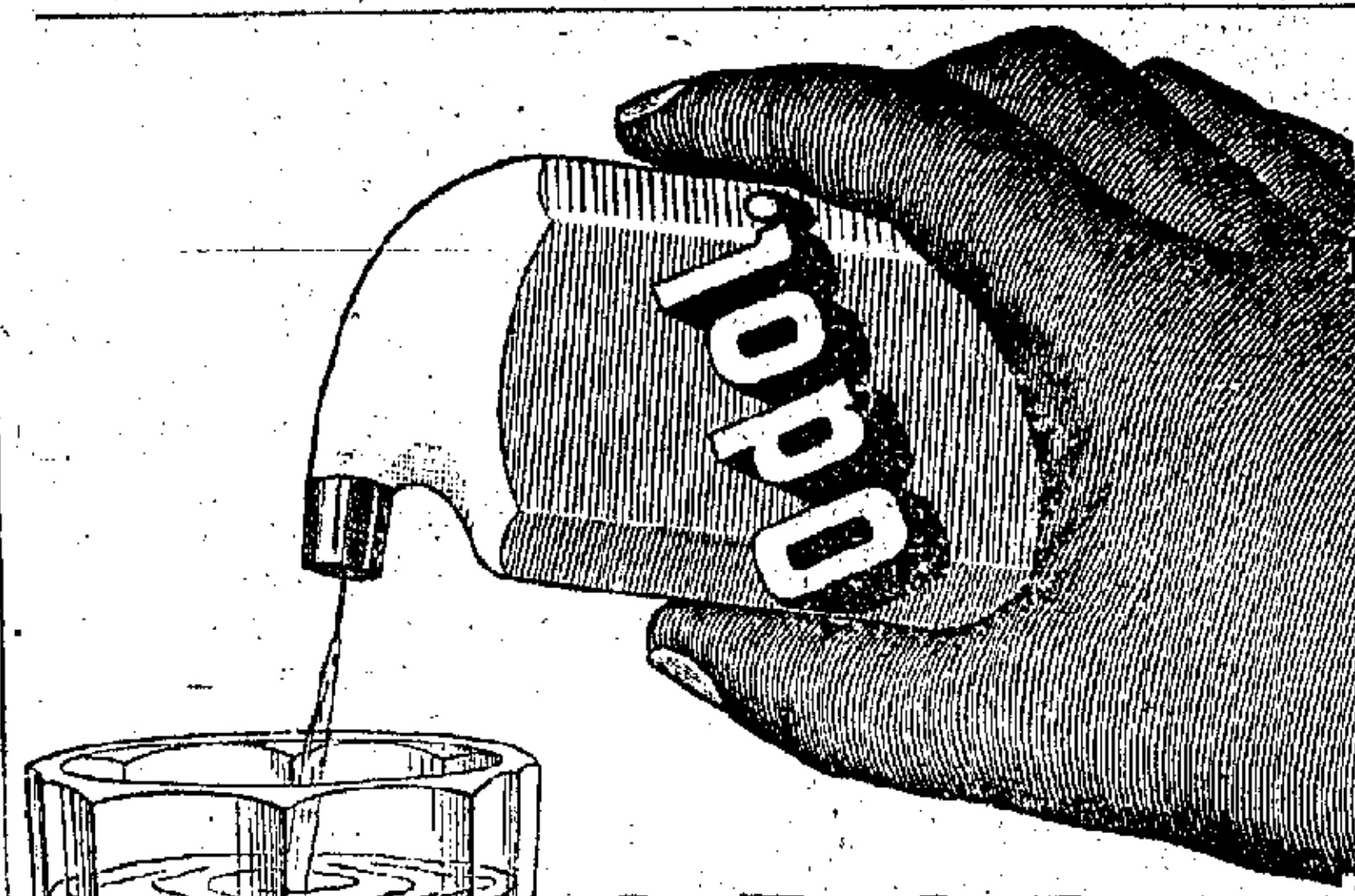
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## THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, TO-MORROW, the 14th day of August, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1897.

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. Hongkong, August 13, 1897. 1484

## THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTERS of SHARES of the CORPORATION will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 14th day of August, to MONDAY, the 16th day of August, (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered. By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. Hongkong, August 13, 1897. 1483

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Hongkong, August 11, 1897. 1509

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STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S  
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CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-  
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that their Goods are being landed and  
placed at their risk in the HONGKONG AND  
KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S  
Godowns at Kowloon, where such consign-  
ment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and  
delivery can be obtained as soon as the  
Goods are landed.

This Vessel brings on Cargo—  
From PERSIAN GULF, ex s.s. Kithia.  
From MADRAS, ex s.s. Secunder.  
Goods not cleared by the 18th Instant,  
at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent.  
No Fire Insurance will be effected by me  
in any case whatever.  
All Damaged Packages must be left in  
the Godowns and a certificate of the damage  
obtained from the Godown Company  
within ten days after the vessel's arrival  
here, after which no Claims will be re-  
cognized.

H. A. RITCHIE,  
Superintendent.

Hongkong, August 12, 1897. 1607

## NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

## STEAMSHIP TACOMA.

FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKO-  
HAMA, KOBE, MOJI AND  
SHANGHAI.

THE above Steamer having arrived, Con-  
signees of Cargo are hereby requested  
to send in their Bills of Lading for counter-  
signature, and take immediate delivery of  
their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the  
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signees' risk and expense.

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Hongkong, August 7, 1897. 1565

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Hongkong, April 6, 1895. 628

## To-day's Advertisements.

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## COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

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ex s.s. Bagdad and Guadalquivir, from  
Marseilles ex s.s. Bagdad, from Bordeaux,  
ex s.s. Pervenche and Ville de Cote, in  
connection with above Steamer, are  
hereby informed that their Goods  
are being landed and stored at their  
risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG  
AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COM-  
PANY, LIMITED, at Kowloon, whence de-  
livery may be obtained immediately after  
landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on  
unless intimation is received from the Con-  
signees before 5 p.m. To-day (Friday),  
requesting it to be landed here.  
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
the Undersigned.

Goods remaining unclaimed after Fri-  
day, the 27th Instant, will be subject to rent  
and landing charges.  
All Claims must be sent in to me on or  
before Friday, the 27th Instant, or they  
will not be recognized.

All Damaged Packages will be examined  
on Monday, the 23rd Instant, at 4 p.m.  
No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. de CHAMPEAUX,  
Agent.

Hongkong, August 13, 1897. 1616

## CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

## FOR SHANGHAI.

The Co.'s Steamship  
Kashio, Captain Kishida, will be  
despatched as above  
on MONDAY, the 18th August, at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,  
Agents.

Hongkong, August 13, 1897. 1611

## FOR VLADIVOSTOK.

The Steamship  
Oto, Captain Finkowski, will  
be despatched for the  
above Port on TUESDAY, the 17th Inst.,  
at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
OHAI KEE & Co.,  
21, Praya Central.

Hongkong, August 13, 1897. 1618

## To-day's Advertisements.

## THEATRE ROYAL.

## POLLAARD'S LILLIPUTIAN OPERA COMPANY.

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## LAST 3 NIGHTS.

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August 13th and 14th.

## THE MIKADO.

## LAST APPEARANCE.

MONDAY, August 16th.

Keep your Eye on your Father.

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## The Princess of Trebizonde.

Large Trains will leave for the Peak 15  
minutes after each Performance.

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Hongkong, August 13, 1897. 1609

## COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

## MARITIMES.

## PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

## FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

The Co.'s Steamship  
Leas, Captain Finkowski, will be  
despatched for the above  
Ports TO-MORROW, the 14th Instant, at  
10 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
G. de CHAMPEAUX,  
Agent.

Hongkong, August 13, 1897. 1576

## OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

## FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

(Taking Cargo at through rates for NINGPO,  
CHEKING, NEW  
CHANG, TIENSIN, HANKOW,  
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The Co.'s Steamship  
Patrocks, Captain Dickens, will  
be despatched as above  
TO-MORROW, the 14th August, at  
10 a.m.

For Freight, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,  
Agents.

Hongkong, August 13, 1897. 1605

## INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

## FOR SWATOW, CHEFOO &amp; TIENSIN.

The Co.'s Steamship  
Loloma, Captain Dickens, will be  
despatched as above on  
MONDAY, the 15th August, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, August 13, 1897. 1545

## DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

## FOR SWATOW, AMOY &amp; FOCHOW.

The Co.'s Steamship  
Haiton, Captain Roach, will be  
despatched for the above  
Ports on TUESDAY, the 17th Instant,  
at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DOUGLAS LAPELLE & Co.,  
General Managers.

Hongkong, August 13, 1897. 1614

## AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

## (UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT.)

## FOR YOKOHAMA (DIRECT).

The Co.'s Steamship  
Melpomene, Captain E. Mrozzi, will  
leave for the above Place  
on FRIDAY, the 20th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
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Hongkong, August 13, 1897. 1613

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This Steamer connects at Bombay with  
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until 5 p.m. on the day before sailing. The  
contents and value of all packages are  
required.

Shippers are particularly requested to  
note the terms and conditions of the Com-  
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For further Particulars, apply to  
H. A. RITCHIE,  
Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,  
Hongkong, August 13, 1897. 1617

## Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Destination.	Vessels.	Agents.	Date of Leaving.
Australian Ports.....	Opi Maru (s).....	Nippon Yusen Kaisha.	Aug. 20, at 4 p.m.
Australian Port & Bremen & Ports of Ca.	Atsuko (s).....	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Aug. 27, daylight.
London & Ports of Ca.	B-yorn (s).....	Norddeutscher Lloyd	Aug. 17, at 9 a.m.
London & Ports of Ca.	Pingyang (s).....	Richdall, Wise & Co.	Aug. 20, at noon.
London & Ports of Ca.	Princess (s).....	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Aug. 26, at noon.
London & Ports of Ca.	Pantais (s).....	Butterfield & Swire.	Aug. 10, at 4 p.m.
London & Ports of Ca.	Jiomai (s).....	Butterfield & Swire.	Aug. 13.
London & Ports of Ca.	Gienwan (s).....	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Aug. About Aug. 21.
London & Ports of Ca.	Singapore (s).....	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About Aug. 16.
London & Ports of Ca.	Jay (s).....	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About Aug. 10.
London & Ports of Ca.	Euphetia (s).....	Arnold, Karberg & Co.	Aug. 26.
London & Ports of Ca.	Vernie (s).....	Butterfield & Swire.	Aug. 18, at noon.
London & Ports of Ca.	Stanic (s).....	Messageries Maritimes	About Aug. 23.
London & Ports of Ca.	Yamato (s).....	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About Aug. 23.
London & Ports of Ca.	Yamato (s).....	Dudwell, Carill & Co.	Aug. 17, at noon.
London & Ports of Ca.	Frey (s).....	Teichner & Co.	Aug. 25.
London & Ports of Ca.	Yamato (s).....	Swenson & Co.	Jack despatch.
London & Ports of Ca.	Yamato (s).....	Butterfield & Swire.	Aug. 25, at 3 p.m.
London & Ports of Ca.	Yamato (s).....	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Aug. 14, at noon.
London & Ports of Ca.	J-y of Peking (s).....	Pacific Mail S. S. Co.	Aug. 24, at noon.
London & Ports of Ca.	Heathcote	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	Quick despatch.
London & Ports of Ca.	Petrolia (s).....	Butterfield & Swire	Aug. 14, at noon.
London & Ports of Ca.	Lux (s).....	Messageries Maritimes	Aug. 14, at 10 a.m.
London & Ports of Ca.	Petrolia (s).....	Dudwell, Carill & Co.	Aug. 14.
London & Ports of Ca.	Kashig (s).....	Butterfield & Swire.	Aug. 10, at 3 p.m.
London & Ports of Ca.	Yamato (s).....	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About Aug. 20.
London & Ports of Ca.	Yamato (s).....	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About Aug. 10.
London & Ports of Ca.	Chibuta (s).....	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Aug. 14, at noon.
London & Ports of Ca.	Haitao (s).....	Douglas, Laiprat & Co.	Aug. 17, at noon.
London & Ports of Ca.	Lokong (s).....	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Aug. 16, at 4 p.m.
London & Ports of Ca.	Yamato (s).....	Dudwell, Carill & Co.	Aug. 17, at noon.
London & Ports of Ca.	Empress of India (s).....	Butterfield & Swire.	Aug. 17, at noon.
London & Ports of Ca.	Yamato (s).....	Onai Kato & Co.	Aug. 17, at 4 p.m.
London & Ports of Ca.	Mopolona (s).....	Saunders & Co.	Aug. 20.







## NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM TRIESTE, VENICE, PORT SAID, SUEZ, JEDDAH, SUAKIM, MASSAWAH, HODEDDA, ADEN, CURRACHEE, BOMBAY, PENANG & SINGAPORE.

The Steamship *Medusa* having arrived, Consignees of Goods are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWNS CO., LTD., whence delivery may be obtained.

This Vessel brings on Cargo:— From Trieste, ex s.s. *Angelic*, transhipped at Trieste. From Venice, ex s.s. *Jrs*, transhipped at Trieste. Optional Cargo will go on to SHANGHAI unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon, 10-MON-OW.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Undersigned before Noon on the 18th Instant, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 18th Instant will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SANDER & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, August 11, 1897. 1595

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMER *ROSSETTA*.

FROM BOMBAY, COLOMBO AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWNS COMPANY'S Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

This Vessel brings on Cargo:— From London, ex s.s. *Parramatta*. From Australia, ex s.s. *China*. From Calcutta, ex s.s. *Manila*. From Penang, ex s.s. *King Arthur* and *Arctic*. Goods not despatched by the 14th August, at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever. All Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after which no Claims will be recognized.

H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.

Hongkong, August 9, 1897. 1678

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMER *SHANGHAI*.

FROM LONDON, COLOMBO AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWNS COMPANY'S Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

This Vessel brings on Cargo:— From Italy, ex s.s. *Antiope*. From Madras, ex s.s. *Secunder*. Optional Goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before Noon, 10-MON-OW.

Goods not cleared by the 12th Instant, at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever. All Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after which no Claims will be recognized.

H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.

Hongkong, August 7, 1897. 1566

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND SINGAPORE.

THE Co.'s S.S. *Opak* having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWNS COMPANY, Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the office of the undersigned before Noon, on the 17th August, or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godown where they will be examined on Tuesday, the 17th August, at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 17th August will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, August 10, 1897. 1586

## Shipping.

## Steamers.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

The Co.'s Steamship *Chelydra*, Captain R. Cass, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 14th Instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, August 13, 1897. 1591

## MOGUL LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

The Steamship *Tikoa*, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 14th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARILL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, August 7, 1897. 1569

## OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship *Tantalus*, Captain HANNAH, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 16th Instant, at 4 p.m.

For Freight, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, August 12, 1897. 1528

## MOGUL-WARRACK-MILBURN LINE.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship *Glacier*, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 17th August, at Noon.

S.S. *Lennox*, to sail about 31st Aug. 1-97. S.S. *Palma*, to sail about 10th Sept., 1897. S.S. *Bracmar*, to sail about 24th Sept., 1897.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARILL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, August 9, 1897. 1493

## CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SAMARANG AND SOERABAYA.

The Co.'s Steamship *Hogel*, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 18th August.

For Freight, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, August 11, 1897. 1525

## OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship *Diomed*, Captain BARTLETT, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 18th Instant.

For Freight, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, August 5, 1897. 1527

## THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON AND LIVERPOOL, VIA STRAITS AND USUAL PORTS OF CALL.

(Taking Cargo at through rates for GLASGOW, CONTINENTAL PORTS, RIVER PLATE, &c.)

The Co.'s Steamship *Prophet*, Captain D. DAVIES, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 18th Instant.

For Freight, etc., apply to HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, August 7, 1897. 1552

## EASTERN &amp; AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN and QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to ADELAIDE, NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &c.)

The Steamship *Airle*, Captain ELIAS, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 27th Instant, at Daylight.

This well-known Steamer is especially fitted for Passengers, and has a Refrigerating Chamber, which ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions, Ice, &c., throughout the voyage.

A duly qualified Surgeon is carried. N.B.—Return Tickets issued by this Company to and from AUSTRALIA, are available for return by the Steamers of the China Navigation Company, and vice versa.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, August 11, 1897. 1594

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour:—

HEAVENLY, British barque, Capt. J. McKeehin, Standard Oil Co.

ISLAND RAMP, American ship, Captain F. D. WALDO, Standard Oil Co.

SUNSHINE, British schooner, Captain E. JOHNSON, Standard Oil Co.

WILKINSON, German ship, Captain E. G. FLETCHER, Standard Oil Co.

## Shipping.

## Steamers.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

JAPAN-AUSTRALIAN LINE.

MONTHLY SERVICE.

(Under Mail Contract).

FOR THURSDAY ISLAND, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

The Co.'s Steamship *Oni Maru*, Captain C. YOUNG, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 20th Instant, at 4 p.m.

This Steamer is fitted with Superior Passenger Accommodation and is lighted by Electricity throughout.

A duly-qualified Doctor and a European Stewardess are carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply to NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Hongkong, August 10, 1897. 1590

## 'SHELL' LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON.

The Co.'s Steamship *Expeditor*, Captain MONAGHAN, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 20th Instant.

For Freight, apply to ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, August 7, 1897. 1567

## 'GLEN' LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship *Glenavon*, Captain PRITTS, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 21st Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, August 5, 1897. 1554

## OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SANDAKAN AND KUDAT.

The Co.'s Steamship *Deu ofon*, Capt. in command, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 26th Instant, at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, August 12, 1897. 1602

## NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship *Frey*, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 20th August.

For Freight, apply to MELCHERS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, August 10, 1897. 1440

## 'SHELL' LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR MARSEILLES AND LONDON.

The Co.'s Steamship *Nerle*, Captain DANIEL, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 18th August.

For Freight, apply to ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, August 12, 1897. 1696

## Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK.

The 100 A.T. American Ship *Landover*, Captain STALL, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to SIEMSEN & Co.

Hongkong, July 6, 1897. 1397

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The 100 A.T. British barque *Hatibani*, McKENZIE, Master, shortly expected, will load here for the above Port and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.

Hongkong, June 18, 1897. 1212

To Let.

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Apply to G. C. ANDERSON, 49, Praya Central.

Hongkong, April 9, 1897. 336

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Hongkong, July 28, 1897. 2135

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AT MOUNT GOUGH, THE PEAK.

TWO SEMI-DETACHED HOUSES

ONE BUNGALOW.

THESE PREMISES are situate upon MOUNT GOUGH, and are about 8 minutes' walk from the Tramway Station at Pavilion Road.

The BUILDINGS are not yet quite completed, but it is expected that occupation can be given from the 1st September, Proximo, and the Premises will be let on Lease for terms of three, five or seven years. Gas and Water laid on.

Apply to H. L. DENNIS, Overseas Secretary's Office, Queen's Road.

Hongkong, July 28, 1897. 1477

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ALSO,

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PORTS.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL

AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS

AND LUGGAGE.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills

of Lading for the principal places in

RUSSIA.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

Bayern..... Tuesday... August 17.

Prinz Heinrich..... Tuesday... Sept. 1.

Preussen..... Tuesday... Sept. 12.

Sachsen..... Tuesday... September 9.

Bayern..... Tuesday... December 7.

Prinz Heinrich..... Tuesday... January 4.

ON TUESDAY, the 17th day of August,

1897, at 9 a.m., the Company's

S.S. *BAYERN*, Captain E. TRENN,

with MAIL, PASSENGERS, SPECIE,

AND CARGO, will leave this port as above,

calling at NAPLES and GENOA.

Shipping Orders will be granted till

Noon, on SATURDAY, the 14th August.

Cargo and Specie will be received on

board until 6 p.m., on MONDAY, the 16th

August, and Specie will be received (at

the Agency's Office) until Noon, on MONDAY,

the 16th August. Consignments of Packages

are required. No Parcel Receipts will be

signed for less than \$2.50, and Parcels

should not exceed Two Feet Cubic in

measurements.

The Steamer has splendid Accommodation

and carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

Lines can be washed on board.

For further Particulars, apply to

MELOCHERS &amp; Co.,

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Hongkong, July 23, 1897. 1415

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).

Tacoma..... 2,649 Tuesday... Aug. 17.

Victoria..... 3,167 Tuesday... Sept. 1.

Olympia..... 2,608 Tuesday... Sept. 28.

Columbia..... 2,608 Tuesday... Oct. 10.

Tacoma..... 2,649 Tuesday... Nov. 9.

Victoria..... 3,167 Tuesday... Nov. 30.

THE Steamship *TACOMA*, Captain

E. N. K. will leave at Noon

on TUESDAY, the 17th August, will pro-

ceed to VICTORIA, (B.C.), and TACOMA

(Wash.), via SHANGHAI, KOBE and